

SENATE BILL No. 467

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Citations Affected: IC 16-44.

Synopsis: Fuel standards. Establishes fuel standards for ethanol. Makes changes to the fuel standards for gasoline and kerosene.

Effective: July 1, 2007.

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January 16, 2007, read first time and referred to Committee on Energy and Environmental Affairs.
February 13, 2007, reported favorably — Do Pass.





First Regular Session 115th General Assembly (2007)

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

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l	SECTION 1. IC 16-44-2-0.1 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2	AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3	1, 2007]: Sec. 0.1. As used in this chapter, "ASTM" means the
1	American Society for Testing and Materials International.
5	SECTION 2. IC 16-44-2-0.2 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE

AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 0.2. As used in this chapter, "ethanol" means a fuel that is:

- (1) blended from gasoline and nominally anhydrous ethyl alcohol; and
- (2) suitable for use in a spark-ignition internal combustion

SECTION 3. IC 16-44-2-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "kerosene" means any light fuel oil:

(1) with an A.P.I. gravity of at least thirty-nine (39) degrees Fahrenheit as determined by the ASTM D-287-55 method; and

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1	(2) having an end point of not greater than five hundred ninety
2	(590) degrees Fahrenheit as determined by the ASTM D-86-56
3	distillation method.
4	refined middle petroleum distillate suitable for use as a fuel for
5	heating or illumination.
6	SECTION 4. IC 16-44-2-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
7	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 3. (a) As used in this
8	chapter, "petroleum products" includes the following:
9	(1) Gasoline.
10	(2) Naphtha.
11	(3) Kerosene.
12	(4) Distillate.
13	(5) Fuel oil.
14	(6) Ethanol.
15	(6) (7) Similar petroleum products, regardless of name, including
16	benzol and other similar products that are or may be used in the
17	blending of motor fuel.
18	(b) The term does not include the following:
19	(1) Lubricating oils.
20	(2) Any product having:
21	(A) a Saybolt universal viscosity at one hundred (100) degrees
22	Fahrenheit of at least seventy (70) seconds; and
23	(B) a flash point of at least one hundred fifty (150) degrees
24	Fahrenheit by the ASTM method.
25	SECTION 5. IC 16-44-2-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
26	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 4. (a) The state
27	department or any authorized agent of the state department may inspect
28	samples of gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene stored in any tank:
29	(1) that is adjacent to a refinery or marine or pipeline terminal in
30	Indiana; and
31	(2) from which withdrawals are made for sale or use in Indiana or
32	for transportation to destinations in Indiana other than
33	transportation to other refineries or terminals in Indiana.
34	(b) Gasoline or kerosene inspected under subsection (a) is subject
35	to the inspection fee specified in section 18 of this chapter whenever
36	the stock in the tank is replenished.
37	SECTION 6. IC 16-44-2-5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
38	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 5. (a) The state
39	department or any authorized agent of the state department may inspect
40	samples of gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene imported into Indiana other
41	than that placed in storage at refineries or marine or nipeline terminals



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in Indiana.

1	(b) Gasoline or kerosene inspected under subsection (a) is subject	
2	to the inspection fee specified in section 18 of this chapter.	
3	(c) A person who receives gasoline or kerosene:	
4	(1) that is imported into Indiana (other than that placed in storage	
5	at refineries or marine or pipeline terminals in Indiana); and	
6	(2) on which the inspection fee has not been paid;	
7	shall notify the state department of the receipt of the gasoline or	
8	kerosene.	
9	SECTION 7. IC 16-44-2-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS	
.0	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 6. The state department	1
1	may conduct inspections and tests on gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene at	
2	any place the gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene is offered for sale in	
3	Indiana.	
4	SECTION 8. IC 16-44-2-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS	
5	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 7. (a) If the state	
6	department's inspection of gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene under this	(
7	chapter reveals that the gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene fails to meet the	•
. 8	specifications prescribed by law for those products, the state	
9	department may prohibit the sale of those products.	
20	(b) A person may not offer for sale any gasoline, ethanol, or	
21	kerosene that the state department has prohibited from sale.	
22	SECTION 9. IC 16-44-2-8 IS AMENDED TO READ AS	
23	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 8. (a) The inspections	
24	and tests made by the state department under this chapter shall be	
2.5	conducted in accordance with the methods outlined by the American	
26	Society for Testing and Materials.	
27	(b) The inspections and tests as to gasoline, gasohol, ethanol, and	V
28	kerosene must reflect the following minimum specifications necessary	
29	for the approval of the product:	
0	(1) Gasoline: or gasohol:	
51	(A) Corrosion Test – Method Method ASTM D-130. A clean	
32	copper strip may not show more than extremely slight	
3	discoloration when submerged in the gasoline for three (3)	
34	hours at one hundred twenty-two (122) degrees Fahrenheit.	
35	(B) Distillation Range – Method ASTM D-86. When the	
66	thermometer reads one hundred sixty-seven (167) degrees	
57	Fahrenheit, not less than ten percent (10%) may be evaporated.	
8	When the thermometer reads two hundred eighty-four (284)	
19	degrees Fahrenheit, not less than fifty percent (50%) may be	
10	evaporated. When the thermometer reads three hundred	
-1	ninety-two (392) degrees Fahrenheit, not less than ninety	

percent (90%) may be evaporated. The residue may not exceed



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1	two percent (2%). Percent evaporated is found by adding the	
2	distillation loss to the amount collected in the receiver at each	
3	specification temperature.	
4	(C) Sulphur – Method ASTM D-1266 or D-2622. Sulphur may	
5	not exceed twenty-five hundredths of one percent (0.25%).	
6	D-4814.	
7	(D) Vapor Pressure – (B) Method ASTM D-4953, ASTM	
8	D-5191, or any other ASTM method to determine vapor	
9	pressure approved by the United States Environmental	
10	Protection Agency. For gasoline, the Reid vapor pressure at	
11	one hundred (100) degrees Fahrenheit may not exceed the	
12	following:	
13	(i) Fifteen (15) pounds per square inch at the normal	
14	barometric pressure at the point of delivery during	
15	November, December, January, February, and March.	
16	(ii) Fourteen (14) pounds per square inch during April and	
17	October.	
18	(iii) Twelve (12) pounds per square inch during May, June,	
19	July, August, and September.	
20	(C) Gasoline may not contain more than one-half percent	
21	(0.5%) of MTBE by volume.	
22	(E) For gasohol (a blend of gasoline and alcohol permitted	
23	under federal tax requirements), the vapor pressure may not	
24	exceed the following:	
25	(i) Sixteen (16) pounds per square inch during November,	
26	December, January, February, and March.	
27	(ii) Fifteen (15) pounds per square inch during April and	
28	October.	
29	(iii) Thirteen (13) pounds per square inch during May, June,	
30	July, August, and September.	
31	(F) After July 23, 2004, gasoline may not contain more than	
32	one-half percent (0.5%) of MTBE by volume.	
33	(2) Kerosene:	
34	(A) Flash Test – Method ASTM D-56. Flash point may not be	
35	lower than one hundred (100) degrees Fahrenheit.	
36	(B) For the purpose of this chapter, any petroleum product	
37	designated by name or reference as "kerosene" must meet the	
38	federal specifications for kerosene VV-K-211d in effect on	
39	March 1, 1977.	
40	(2) Ethanol:	
41	(A) All of the following conditions must be met:	
12	(i) The gasoline that will be blended with nominally	



1	anhydrous ethyl alcohol to formulate ethanol must meet
2	Method ASTM D-4814.
3	(ii) The ethanol must meet Method ASTM D-4814.
4	(iii) The gasoline that will be blended with nominally
5	anhydrous ethyl alcohol to formulate ethanol must meet
6	Method ASTM D-4814, except for its distillation
7	requirements.
8	(iv) The ethanol must meet the distillation requirements
9	of Method ASTM D-4814.
10	(B) Gasoline that will be blended with nominally
11	anhydrous ethyl alcohol to formulate ethanol may not
12	contain more than one-half percent (0.5%) of MTBE by
13	volume.
14	(C) Nominally anhydrous ethyl alcohol that will be blended
15	with gasoline to formulate ethanol must meet Method
16	ASTM D-4806.
17	(D) Ethanol that is seventy-five percent (75%) or more
18	nominally anhydrous ethyl alcohol by volume, commonly
19	known as "E85", must meet Method ASTM D-5798.
20	(E) Ethanol must meet Method ASTM D-4953, ASTM
21	D-5191, or any other ASTM method to determine vapor
22	pressure that is approved by the United States
23	Environmental Protection Agency. For ethanol, the vapor
24	pressure may not exceed the following:
25	(i) Sixteen (16) pounds per square inch during
26	November, December, January, February, and March.
27	(ii) Fifteen (15) pounds per square inch during April and
28	October.
29	(iii) Thirteen (13) pounds per square inch during May,
30	June, July, August, and September.
31	(3) Kerosene must meet Method ASTM D-3699.
32	(c) Gasoline, gasohol, ethanol, and kerosene products that do not
33	comply with the minimum specifications described in subsection (b)
34	may not be sold, offered for sale, or used in Indiana.
35	(d) Petroleum products other than gasoline, gasohol, ethanol, or
36	kerosene shall be inspected and tested by the methods as are necessary
37	to determine the contents and characteristics of the product.
38	SECTION 10. IC 16-44-2-9 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
39	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 9. (a) A person who
40	sells or delivers a petroleum product containing ethanol (ethyl alcohol)
41	nominally anhydrous ethyl alcohol or methanol (methyl alcohol), or
42	both, to a person other than a retail consumer must place on the



1	instrument evidencing the sale or delivery of the petroleum product:
2	(1) the name of each alcohol; and
3	(2) the percentage (to the nearest whole percent), by volume, of
4	each alcohol;
5	that is contained in the petroleum product sold or delivered by the
6	person.
7	(b) A person who fails to comply with this section commits a Class
8	A infraction.
9	SECTION 11. IC 16-44-2-15 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
10	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 15. For the purposes of
11	this chapter, gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene is considered to be received
12	in Indiana as follows:
13	(1) If stored in tanks adjacent to a refinery or a marine or pipeline
14	terminal in Indiana, the gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene is
15	considered to be received when withdrawn from storage for sale
16	or use in Indiana or for transportation to destinations in Indiana
17	other than for transfer to other refineries or marine or pipeline
18	terminals in Indiana and not before. When so withdrawn, the
19	gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene is withdrawn, it is considered to
20	be received by the person who is the owner of the gasoline,
21	ethanol, or kerosene at the time of withdrawal unless the
22	gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene is withdrawn for transportation or
23	delivery to or for the account of a person who is bonded under the
24	gasoline tax law (IC 6-6-1.1), in which case the gasoline, ethanol,
25	or kerosene is considered to be received by the person to or for
26	whose account the gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene is transported
27	or delivered.
28	(2) If imported into Indiana (other than to a refinery or marine or
29	pipeline terminal in Indiana), the gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene
30	is considered to be received at the time and by the person who is
31	the owner of the gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene when the gasoline,
32	ethanol, or kerosene is spotted or placed for unloading in Indiana.
33	(3) If produced, blended, or compounded in Indiana other than at
34	a refinery or a marine or pipeline terminal, the gasoline, ethanol,
35	or kerosene is considered to be received when produced, blended,
36	or compounded.
37	SECTION 12. IC 16-44-2-17 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
38	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 17. (a) The state
39	department shall furnish to the person for whom inspections are made
40	under this chapter a certificate of inspection covering each receipt by
41	that person of gasoline, ethanol, or kerosene with respect to which an
42	inspection is made. The certificate must indicate the following:



1	(1) The date of the inspection.	
2	(2) The identity of the container from which the sample was	
3	taken.	
4	(3) The kind and quantity of the product received.	
5	(4) The identity of the conveyance by which the product was	
6	received.	
7	(5) The result of the test and inspection.	
8	(b) To enable the state department to make certificates covering	
9	withdrawals from storage at a refinery or marine or pipeline terminal	
10	and the receipt of gasoline, ethanol , or kerosene at other points in	
11 12	Indiana, the records of withdrawals and receipts shall be available to the state department during all reasonable business hours.	
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COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Energy and Environmental Affairs, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 467, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill DO PASS.

(Reference is made to Senate Bill 467 as introduced.)

GARD, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0.









